

Amendments to the Claims:

1. (Currently Amended) A headlamp adjuster for adjusting a position of a reflector of a headlamp assembly, said headlamp adjuster comprising: a housing; an expandable member on the housing; an adjuster member having a first end and a second end; a rotatable input member; gearing in the housing and configured to provide that rotation of the rotatable input member causes extension and retraction of said adjuster member, said adjuster member being extendable and retractable into and out of contact with the expandable member, wherein said first end of said adjuster member is engageable with the reflector of the headlamp assembly, and said second end of said adjuster member is receivable in the expandable member, wherein said adjuster member is configured to be retractable to such an extent that said second end of said adjuster member contacts and pushes on said expandable member and said expandable member is configured to expand upon said second end of said adjuster member contacting and pushing on said expandable member to accommodate retraction of the adjuster member.
2. (Original) A headlamp adjuster as recited in claim 1, wherein said expandable member comprises a bellows.
3. (Original) A headlamp adjuster as recited in claim 2, wherein said bellows is comprised of rubber.

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4. (Original) A headlamp adjuster as recited in claim 2, wherein said bellows is comprised of rubber and said housing is comprised of plastic.
5. (Original) A headlamp adjuster as recited in claim 2, wherein said housing and said bellows are molded together.
6. (Original) A headlamp adjuster as recited in claim 2, wherein said housing is molded over said bellows.
7. (Original) A headlamp adjuster as recited in claim 2, wherein said bellows is glued to said housing.
8. (Original) A headlamp adjuster as recited in claim 2, further comprising a snap ring; which secures said bellows to said housing.
9. (Original) A headlamp adjuster as recited in claim 1, wherein said headlamp adjuster is configured such that said second end of said adjuster member is engageable and pressable against an internal wall of said expandable member, thereby causing said expandable member to expand.
10. (Original) A headlamp adjuster as recited in claim 1, wherein said expandable member comprises an accordion member.

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11. (Currently Amended) A method of adjusting a position of a reflector of a headlamp assembly, said method comprising: rotating a rotatable input member thereby retracting an adjuster member of a headlamp adjuster to such an extent that an end of said adjuster member contacts and pushes on an expandable member of the headlamp adjuster; and using an the expandable member of the headlamp adjuster to contactably receive an the end of the adjuster member as the adjuster member retracts and ~~expand~~ expands to accommodate retraction of the adjuster member.
12. (Original) A method as recited in claim 11, wherein the step of using an expandable member comprises using a bellows.
13. (Original) A method as recited in claim 11, wherein the step of using an expandable member comprises using a bellows formed of at least one of rubber, plastic, an elastomeric material and a synthetic material.
14. (Original) A method as recited in claim 12, wherein a housing of said headlamp adjuster is molded over said bellows.
15. (Original) A method as recited in claim 11, wherein the step of using an expandable member comprises using a bellows which is glued to a housing of said headlamp adjuster.

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16. (Original) A method as recited in claim 11, wherein the step of using an expandable member comprises using a bellows which is secured to a housing of said headlamp adjuster with a snap ring.
17. (Original) A method as recited in claim 11, further comprising pressing an end of said adjuster member against an internal wall of said expandable member, thereby causing said expandable member to expand.
18. (Original) A method as recited in claim 11, wherein the step of using an expandable member comprises using an accordion member.
19. (Cancelled)
20. (Cancelled)

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